

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

Applicant(s): John H. Hull

Docket No.

1-24402

Application No.

10/808,095

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Vijayakumar

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04859

Group Art Unit

1751

Confirmation No.

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Invention:

SCRAPPING AND TREATING A METAL-CONTAMINATED SEDIMENT

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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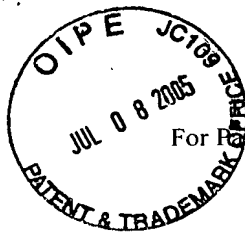
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.